

Appleby Archaeology

Notes of the Committee Meeting of the Appleby Archaeology Group held on Tuesday April 5th at Northgate Milburn.

Present

Richard Stevens	Chairman
Tony Greenwood	Publicity
Martin Joyce	Newsletter Editor
Martin Railton	Field Work/Research
Phyl Rouston	Secretary

Apologies

Mike Godfrey, Jen Callis, Carol Dougherty.

Notes of the last meeting

The notes were agreed a correct record.

1/04/11 Matters arising

4/09/09 Brackenber Research Excavations Martin has forwarded his report to CWAAS for inclusion in their Transactions.

9/04/12 Advertising in The Heart of Eden Information on the group was published in the April Edition. Programme for 2011/12 to be sent to them for publication in the autumn.

2/04/11 Membership

Membership stands at around 60. Some members have still not renewed and referring to Google Docs it was noted that two of the outstanding subscriptions were long standing members who have tended to be late responders. Those present felt that a further letter be sent advising them that we did not want to lose their membership but this was their last opportunity. Phyl to notify membership secretary.

3/04/11 Treasurer's Report

Mike sent a statement of accounts. The current account at 03.04.2010 was £864.30.

4/04/11 Research 2011 Roman signal station Appleby golf course

Paul Frodsham has completed the project design. He will communicate with those wishing to take part. Phyl asked if members not registered with Altogether Archaeology would be able to visit the site. Martin R understood that there was to be an open day and that Paul plans to give an evening lecture during the ten days.

She also expressed concern that she had heard that members who had not registered electronically were not receiving any information. It was agreed that members will be updated at the meeting on Tuesday 12th and that Martin R will act as a contact point. He will prepare an email to be sent to members by Phyl. (sent 11/4)

5/04/11 Correspondence

The following have been received:-

Newsletters from Appleby and Westmorland Society; Early notification of a proposed conference held by CBNW and CBN to in Kendal on 29th October. Details to follow

6/04/2011 Programme 2011

Summer

May Sunday 15th Full day guided walk to Nine Standards led by Stephen Walker (Open to Altogether Archaeology)

June Tuesday 21st Evening walk to Gamelands with a visit to the long cairn at Rayseat Pike led by Martin Joyce.

July Sunday 10th Day trip to Furness Abbey and Barrow Dock Museum. Details have been circulated and

to date 16 people have booked.

Winter

2011

September Tuesday 13th *Anne Hamilton Gibney* Update Walking among the Monuments.

October Tuesday 11th *Eric Matthews* Recent Excavations at Hornby Castle.

November Tuesday 8th *Jamie Lund* Archaeological Landscape Survey of the Sizergh Estate.

December Tuesday 13th *Mark Graham* Excavations at Papcastle.

2012

January Tuesday 10th 7pm AGM and Members' Evening.

Martin Railton Roman Signal Station Appleby

February Tuesday 14th *Gabriel Blamires* Prehistoric Shap

March Tuesday 13th *Dr Ken Fairless and Mr Jeff Lynn* The Northumberland and Durham Rock Art Project.

April Tuesday 10th *Paul Frodsham* Update on Altogether Archaeology.

All speakers have confirmed and details of fees, if confirmed have been noted by the secretary and will be forwarded to the treasurer. Rooms have been booked.

The possibility of the archaeology of airfields crash sites in Cumbria has yet to be followed up
A further suggestion from Carol will to be considered for next year. Ingleborough Archaeology research on walls

07/04/2011 Conference

As noted in February

08/02/2012 CWAAS AGM Richard and Tony will make the presentation and Martin will be present for professional back up .

09/04/2011 AOB

Richard reminded the meeting that a new chairman would be required to replace him at the AGM in 2012
Phyl suggested approaching Margaret Albon and Martin R suggested Phyl Rouston if this was accepted and approved the secretary's position would need to be filled. Further discussion to take place at the next meeting

Date and time of next meeting **Thursday July 27th at 7.30pm at Pear Tree Cottage Skirith**

PHR 12th April 2011